

REMARKS

This paper responds to the Office Action mailed on August 29, 2005.

No claims are amended, canceled, or added; as a result, claims 26-34 and 38-52 remain pending in this application.

Double Patenting Rejection

Claims 26-34 and 38-52 were rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting over claims 1-19 of U.S. Patent No. 6,804,760 in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,505,282. A Terminal Disclaimer in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.321(b)(iv) is enclosed herewith to obviate these rejections. Applicant makes no admission as to the merits of this rejection.

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 26-34 and 38-52 were indicated to be allowable if the above double patenting rejections are overcome as set forth in the Office Action.

CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance, and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney at (612) 349-9587 to facilitate prosecution of this application.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully submitted,

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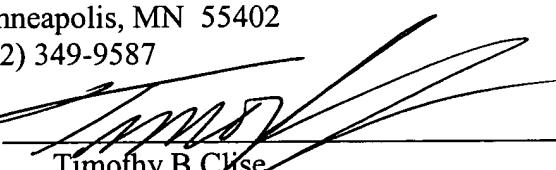
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